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LENS HAVING IMAGE	:	
STABILIZING FUNCTION	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

SECOND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to Japanese Laid-Open Patent Application No. 2000-69359 which is listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of the listed documents is also enclosed. An English Abstract for Japanese Laid-Open Patent Application No. 2000-69359 was obtained from a commercial database and is also enclosed herewith. The concise explanation of relevance of this document is found in the Abstract.

FORMAL MATTERS

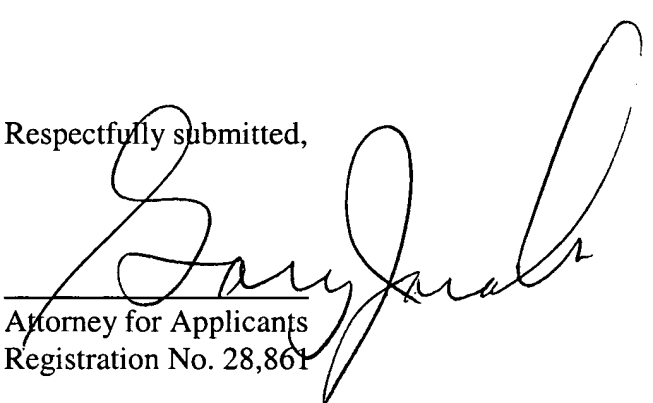
No fee is believed due; however, any fee required in connection with this paper should be charged to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES/NO/ OR ABSTRACT
		<b>2000-69359</b>		<b>JAPAN</b>			<b>ABSTRACT</b>

## OTHER DOCUMENT(S) (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)


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